

Guide to the
**National Chiropractic Association's
Photographic Collection**



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Overview of the NCA's *Journal*

The official journal for members of the National Chiropractic Association (1930-1963) commenced publication in 1931 as the *Journal of the National Chiropractic Association*, under the editorship of Benjamin A. Sauer, D.C., secretary of the organization (Keating & Rehm, 1993). At about the same time, the International Chiropractic Congress (1926-1934) persuaded Loran M. Rogers, D.C. of Webster City, Iowa to edit and publish the *Journal of the International Chiropractic Congress (JICC)*. Dr. Rogers replaced Dr. Sauer as secretary of the National Chiropractic Association (NCA) in 1932 or 1933, at which time the *JICC* was renamed *The Chiropractic Journal*, and was jointly sponsored by the NCA and the International Chiropractic Congress (ICC). This joint sponsorship lasted until 1934, when the ICC dissolved. *The Chiropractic Journal* continued in publication as the official periodical of the NCA. In 1939 *The Chiropractic Journal* was renamed the *National Chiropractic Journal*, and in 1949 it was again renamed, becoming once more the *Journal of the National Chiropractic Association (JNCA)*. When today's American Chiropractic Association was formed in 1963 and absorbed the NCA, the *JNCA* became the ACA's *Journal of Chiropractic* (renamed the *Journal of the American Chiropractic Association* in 1995). The numbering of volume-years of NCA's primary periodical during Dr. Roger's editorship can be confusing, since there is no Volume 2 nor Volume 13. For details of this numbering and renaming, see Table 1.

Table 1: Numbering of volume-years of the National Chiropractic Association's *Journal* during Loran M. Roger's editorship, 1933-1963 (Hicks & Keating, 1988)

Journal Title	Year	Volume	Journal Title	Year	Volume
<i>The Chiropractic Journal</i>	1933	1	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1949	19
<i>The Chiropractic Journal</i>	1934	3*	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1950	20
<i>The Chiropractic Journal</i>	1935	4	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1951	21
<i>The Chiropractic Journal</i>	1936	5	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1952	22
<i>The Chiropractic Journal</i>	1937	6	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1953	23
<i>The Chiropractic Journal</i>	1938	7	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1954	24
<i>National Chiropractic Journal</i>	1939	8	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1955	25
<i>National Chiropractic Journal</i>	1940	9	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1956	26
<i>National Chiropractic Journal</i>	1941	10	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1957	27
<i>National Chiropractic Journal</i>	1942	11	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1958	28
<i>National Chiropractic Journal</i>	1943	12	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1959	29
<i>National Chiropractic Journal</i>	1944	14*	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1960	30
<i>National Chiropractic Journal</i>	1945	15	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1961	31
<i>National Chiropractic Journal</i>	1946	16	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1962	32
<i>National Chiropractic Journal</i>	1947	17	<i>Journal of the NCA</i>	1963	33
<i>National Chiropractic Journal</i>	1948	18			

*Asterisk indicates discontinuity in numbering of volume-year

An *Author Index* to the text contents of the NCA's *Journal* is available (Hicks & Keating, 1988). The *Index* is not completely satisfactory, inasmuch as the contents listed on the title

pages were used in the index's compilation. Unfortunately, the titles of articles listed on these title pages do not always correspond to the titles listed at the beginning of the articles. Additionally, there are a number of articles and news items which appear in the *Journal* but not on the title pages. Accordingly, the *Index* is incomplete.

Technical Aspects of Scanning & Storage

With the development of inexpensive digital scanning technology, it was felt by the Board of Directors of the AHC that the surviving photographs of the NCA collection should be digitized, so as to make reproduction easy, inexpensive and readily available to all interested parties. Accordingly, the entire surviving collection was scanned, using a Hewlett-Packard "ScanJet 4p" flat-bed scanner connected to a Power Macintosh computer. The scanner has an optical resolution of 300 dots-per-inch (dpi), and with electronic enhancement via PaperPort software, a functional resolution of 1,200 dpi. Scanned images were embedded in word-processor files created using Microsoft Word, Version 6.0 for the Macintosh. In some cases reduction of the image by not more than 50% from the original was required in order to accommodate the limitations of the software. Some files contain single images, while others may hold as many as a dozen scanned images.

Surviving Photographs

The photographs and a few negatives collected by Dr. Rogers for publication in the NCA's professional *Journal* as well as for publication in the NCA's several patient magazines (*The Life Line*, *Healthways*) were passed along to the American Chiropractic Association (ACA) sometime after 1963. The ACA turned these photographs over to the Association for the History of Chiropractic (AHC) in 1982. Undoubtedly, many of the items collected by Dr. Rogers during his 31 years of editing and publishing for the NCA have been removed from the collection. However, several hundred photographs remain, spanning the period of 1930 through 1950. These are housed in the Archives section of the Daniel D. Palmer Health Sciences Library, a division of Palmer College of Chiropractic. The AHC is grateful to Palmer College and its librarians for assuming this responsibility. Photographic prints made from the surviving photos and negatives in this collection can be obtained from the Library for a small fee. (Contact: Glenda Wiese, M.A., Archivist, Daniel D. Palmer Health Sciences Library, 1000 Brady Street, Davenport IA 52803 USA).

In preparing this photographic collection for digital storage, the subjects (persons, organizations, facilities, events) depicted in the photographs were identified wherever possible. The pages of the NCA's *Journal* were reviewed in order to try to identify the first appearance of each photograph in the *Journal*, thereby providing a chronological marker. Those scanned images for which a chronological marker could be added were placed in Macintosh folders labeled by year of publication. Additional folders were created especially for images related to the American Society of Military Chiropractors and the Chiropractic Research Foundation (forerunner of today's Foundation for Chiropractic Education & Research; see Keating et al., 1995). Macintosh "alias files" were created for those images which could appropriately be grouped in more than one folder. The few negatives in the collection are also placed in their own folder, "NCA Photo Negatives," with alias files in other appropriate folders.

In some cases neither the individuals nor objects depicted could be identified. These images were placed in a folder labeled "Various/unidentified." For other images, although one or more of the individuals depicted were identified, the date of the photo and/or date of publication (if any) is unknown to this writer. These images are stored in a folder labeled "People/Undated." I will be grateful to the reader for any assistance in further labeling/identifying subjects not yet recognized. (Please contact the writer: Joseph C. Keating, Jr., Ph.D., *Professor*, Los Angeles College of Chiropractic, P.O. Box 1166, Whittier CA 90609 USA; Telephone: 562-947-8755, ext. 633; E-mail: JCKeating@aol.com). The writer will also be grateful for any additional NCA images that the reader may be able to provide.

Several dozens of images not found in the NCA photographic collection but available to the writer have been added to the digitally stored collection. These may be found in a folder labeled "Scans from JNCA & Elsewhere." These images were drawn from the pages (usually the covers) of the NCA's *Journal* or from the writer's files. Macintosh alias files for these images can also be found in other folders.

Copyrights

Copyright laws have changed since the images contained herein were created. Many of the individuals depicted in this photographic collection are now deceased. For the overwhelming majority of the images provided here, there are no surviving copyrights, and the pictures may be reproduced ad libidum. Moreover, the American Chiropractic Association has indicated to this writer that it makes no claim of continuing copyright for anything (text and images) published under the auspices of the National Chiropractic Association. In most instances, therefore, the images may be reproduced without concern of breach of copyright.

The AHC appreciates, but does not (cannot) require acknowledgment of the source of these images. Acknowledgment of the source might be given with a phrase such as "Photo from the National Chiropractic Association's collection, courtesy of the Association for the History of Chiropractic." Neither the writer nor the AHC makes any claim of copyright for any of the materials in this collection.

Enjoy!

Inventory:

Below find a detailed listing of all files and folders in the collection. Embedding of folders and files within folders is indicated by indentation; alias files are indicated by italicizing:

NCA Photo FOLDERS

*Guide to NCA Photos	Most Perfect Back, Wisconsin
1930/George Cole/skulls	1934 Stuff
1933 Stuff	1934 NCA Journal
1933 NCA Convention/Denver	New York Banquet
Guyselman/MI Board, 1933	1935 NCA/LA
Most Perfect Back, California	1935 NCA Clinic Group
Most Perfect Back, Iowa	1935 NCA Convention-a
Most Perfect Back, Pennsylvania	1935 Convention-b
Most Perfect Back, Unknown	Collinson's X-ray, 1935

- 1936 Stuff
 1936 Great Lakes Exposition
 1936 NCA Convntn/Indianapolis
 Methvin, Flying Chiro 1936
- 1937 NCA/Grand Rapids
 1937 (June) Angel float alias
 Clara Box/RA Riggs, 1937
 Perfect Back/TCA/1937
- 1938/Toronto
 1938 NCA Convention-a
 1938 NCA Convention-b
 1938 NCA Convention-c
 1938 NCA leaders alias
 1938/Port Perry
 Charles M. Guyselman/obit
 Gertrude Hinshaw, 1938?
 Hunt/Cole/Jones/Griffith
- 1939 NCA/Dallas
 1939 NCA Convention-a
 1939 NCA Convention-b
 1939? NCA leaders alias
 Harry K. McIlroy, 1939
 KC Robinson/plane/horse
 King & Queen of England
 Miracles/Wheaton/1939
 Murphy/Slocum/capital, 1939
 Schnick at Dallas, 1939
 Slocum & petition roll, 1939
 Thermometer/NCJ 1939 Apr
- 1940 NCA/Minneapolis
 1940 (Dec) McNichols & Mu alias
 1940 (Mar) CO Watkins alias
 1940 (Nov) Four NCA leade alias
 1940 NCA Convention-a
 1940 NCA Convention-b
 1940 NCA Convention-c
 1940 NCA Convention-d
 1940 NCA leaders alias
 CO Watkins DC, 1940
 FO Logic/stethoscope
 Harry Bybee adjusting, 1940
 McNichols/US map/1940
 MN Governor Stassen, 1940
 Schnick/passport/NW Airlines
 TJ Boner/National?/1940
 Wilbern Lawrence/stethoscope
- 1941 Stuff
 1941 (Dec) Slocum alias
 1941 (Feb) Roosevelt alias
 1941 (Nov) Nugent alias
 1941 NCA/Baltimore
 Ashworth/Edwards/Janse et al
 Budreau/Florida
 Florida Chiro Assoc
 Lincoln College photos
 Murphy & Decl of Independence
 Murphy & Son, 1941
 Murphy, Slocum, NCCA
 Murphy/Chatfield/Tolan et al
- Nemitz, Tennant & Group
 Red Cross photos, 1941
 SDChiroAssoc/booth/1941
 SoCalChiroCollege, 1941
- 1942 Stuff
 1942 (Dec) Frank O. Logic alias
 1942 (June) Lawrence alias
 1942 (Mar) DD Memorial alias
 1942 (May) Waldo Poehner alias
 1942 (Nov) Wheaton alias
 1942 (Oct) Tennant alias
 Janse/Murphy/Marshall et al
 Murphy/Bogen/Dawson/Bauer
- 1943 Stuff
 1943 (Apr) Marshall alias
 1943 (Nov) Hariman alias
 Beatty/Skier, 1943
 Dominion council Canadian
 Logic, Poehner, Tennant, 1943
 McClintock et al/war bonds
 Texas Chiro Law, 1943
- 1944 Stuff
 CalCA convention, 1944
 Chiron in Jeep, 1944
 Continental Casualty Co., 1944
 Cregger at Lions Club, 1944
 Harlan KY basketball, 1944
 Murphy/Thompson/Poehner/Janse
 Oakland Bkfst Club/bonds, 1944
- 1945 Stuff
 1945 (Oct) Janse alias
 1945 Georgia Chiro Assoc
 5-Star Generals' message
 Murphy & AmerLegion, 1945
- 1946 Stuff
 1946 Lincoln/Amer Legion
 1946 Neal Bishop & Group
 1946/Logic & Group/Toronto
 DD Memorial, 1946? alias
 General/Major/ASMC/1946
 Murphy/Peterson/AmerLegion
 Postural Defects, 1946
 SI joint/Heintze, 1946
- 1947 Stuff
 1947 NCA Convention/Omaha
 1947 South Dakota Convention
 All Southern States Conv, 1947
 AmerLegion/National College
 Cooley & Lemly, 1947
 Duane Smith & CCA, 1947
 Gilhuly/Fleming/Lapin/Hash
 Homewood/Logic/ASMC/1947
 Murphy & Jamieson, 1947
 Murphy & VFW, 1947
 Murphy/Thompson/Poehner et al
 Pennsylvania Chiro Assoc, 1947
 Star Parade/Omaha/ASMC
 Three-Scale Foot Plate
- 1948 Stuff

- All Southern States Convention
 Bybee & Washington Group, 1948
 Cecil Martin/Chicago Soc, 1948
 Floyd J Carter/VFW, 1948
 Junior NCA/LACC, 1948
 Lemly & TX Groups, 1948
 Lincoln/Lambda Chi Beta, 1948
 Murphy & Ncarolina Group, 1948
 Murphy, Nugent & VFW, 1948
 NCA/Portland-a
 NCA/Portland-b
 Oakland Brkfst Club, 1948
 WSCC hallway, 1948
- 1949 Stuff
 1949 (Apr) *RD Johns alias*
 1949 (Dec) *Smyrl alias*
 1949 (Feb) *Bybee alias*
 1949 (Jan) *FL Lemly alias*
 1949 (July) *Peterson alias*
 1949 (Mar) *JC Wood alias*
 1949 (Nov) *Hariman alias*
 1949 (Oct) *Prosser alias*
 Janse & Murphy, 1949
 Lincoln CC graduation, 1949
 Logic/ASMC Officers, 1949
 NCA Convntn/Chicago, 1949
- 1950 Stuff
 1950 (Aug) *Cregger alias*
 1950 (Dec) *Schmidt alias*
 1950 (Feb) *Budden alias*
 1950 (Mar) *Wheaton alias*
 1950 (May) *Kelley alias*
 1950 (Nov) *Schwartz alias*
 1950 (Apr) *Vladeef alias*
 1950 (Jan) *Pefly/ASMC alias*
- 1951 Stuff
 1951 (Apr) *Vladeef alias*
 1951 (Aug) *Gustafson alias*
 1951 (Dec) *Wunsch alias*
 1951 (Feb) *Higgins alias*
 1951 (Jan) *Pefly/ASMC alias*
 1951 (June) *Poulsen alias*
 1951 (Mar) *Ploudre alias*
 1951 (May) *Pruitt alias*
 1951 (Nov) *CL Martin alias*
 1951 *Cleveland/Janse/Schwartz alias*
- 1952 Stuff
 1952 (Dec) *Firth alias*
 1952 (Feb) *Ramsay alias*
 1952 (Mar) *Gardner alias*
 1952 (Nov) *WB Wolf alias*
 1952 (Sept) *Shafer alias*
 1952 *CINY alias*
 1952 *Cleveland/Janse/Rogers alias*
 1952 *Murphy & Nixon alias*
 1952 *Nugent/Warren/blindman alias*
 1952 *Shrader/Hightower alias*
 1952 *Texas Chiro College alias*
 1952 *What's My Line? alias*
- 1953 Stuff
 1953 (Apr) *Shultz alias*
 1953 (Aug) *Mrs Hariman alias*
 1953 (Feb) *Osborne alias*
 1953 (Jan) *Martyn alias*
 1953 (Nov) *ER Dunn alias*
 1953 (Oct) *Slocum alias*
 1953 (Sept) *NCA leaders alias*
 1953 *Marshall alias*
- 1955 Stuff
 CO Watkins, circa 1955
- 1963 National College/Lombard
 AmerSocMilitary Chiros
 AmerSocMilitChiros
 General/Major/ASMC/1946 alias
 Homewood/Logic/ASMC/1947 alias
 Logic/ASMC Officers, 1949 alias
 Star Parade/Omaha/ASMC alias
 Unknown uniformed groups
- ChiroResFoundation
 CCA donates to CRF, 1945
 McNichols/Ohlson/Logic/Spears
 McNichols/Ohlson/Logic/Thompson
 Wheaton/Hariman/Goodfellow
- NCA Photo Negatives
 1939? NCA leaders
 DD Memorial, 1946?
- People/Undated
 Arthur W. Schweiter DC
 Clubine? of Toronto
 Cooley/Schweiert/barrel
 Cregger & Roundtable Group
 Cregger/Tolan/Goodfellow
 Dillon Pass, South Dakota
 Florida State Convention
 Hariman, Slocum & group
 Henning/Miller/Schmidt/Harris
 James E Slocum/portrait
 Large Group NCA Leaders
 Logic/McNichols/Thompson et al
 MacFadden?/Slocum & group
 Marshall & swimsuits
 Murphy & North Carolina Group
 Murphy seat at banquet
 Poehner & seated group of 2
 Robinson & Slocum
 Schnick & Group
 Spears Hospital Group?
 Unknown convntn/Lillard/Bishop
 Wilbern Lawrence in crowd
 William C. Schulze MD, DC
 Wisconsin Chiro Assoc
- Scans from JNCA & Elsewhere
 1937 (June) Angel float
 1938 NCA leaders
 1940 (Dec) McNichols & Murphy
 1940 (Mar) CO Watkins
 1940 (Nov) Four NCA leaders
 1940 NCA leaders

1941 (Dec) Slocum	1952 (Mar) Gardner
1941 (Feb) Roosevelt	1952 (Nov) WB Wolf
1941 (Nov) Nugent	1952 (Sept) Shafer
1942 (Dec) Frank O. Logic	1952 CINY
1942 (June) Lawrence	1952 Cleveland/Janse/Rogers
1942 (Mar) DD Memorial	1952 Murphy & Nixon
1942 (May) Waldo Poehner	1952 Nugent/Warren/blindman
1942 (Nov) Wheaton	1952 Shrader/Hightower
1942 Oct) Tennant	1952 Texas Chiro College
1943 (Apr) Marshall	1952 What's My Line?
1943 (Nov) Hariman	1953 (Apr) Schultz
1945 (Oct) Janse	1953 (Aug) Mrs Hariman
1949 (Apr) RD Johns	1953 (Feb) Osborne
1949 (Dec) Smyrl	1953 (Jan) Martyn
1949 (Feb) Bybee	1953 (Nov) ER Dunn
1949 (Jan) FL Lemly	1953 (Oct) Slocum
1949 (July) Peterson	1953 (Sept) NCA leaders
1949 (Mar) JC Wood	1953 Marshall
1949 (Nov) Hariman	Various/unidentified
1949 (Oct) Prosser	ChiroRad display, Des Moines
1950 (Aug) Cregger	Convention Floor Plan
1950 (Dec) Schmidt	Drawing blood
1950 (Feb) Budden	Fossil
1950 (Mar) Wheaton	Graduate exits chapel
1950 (May) Kelley	Hariman Hospital?
1950 (Nov) Schwartz	Injecting rabbit/polio
1951 (Apr) Vladeef	Man/taking pulse
1951 (Aug) Gustafson	Man/Woman/x-ray view box
1951 (Dec) Wunsch	Stacked adjusting benches
1951 (Feb) Higgens	Toronto? group with clergyman
1951 (Jan) Pefly/ASMC	Two couples/unknown
1951 (June) Poulsen	Unknown family group
1951 (Mar) Ploudre	Unknown pavilion
1951 (May) Pruitt	Unknown/swimsuits
1951 (Nov) CL Martin	Various small photos
1951 Cleveland/Janse/Schwartz	Woman in head clamp?
1952 (Dec) Firth	Woman/standing x-ray
1952 (Feb) Ramsay	

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